

Application GRANTED in part. Defendant Hochul's time to answer or otherwise respond to the Amended Complaint is extended to **October 27, 2022**, without prejudice to seeking a further extension if appropriate.



LORNA G. SCHOFIELD
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

Dated: September 27, 2022

New York, New York

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By ECF

The Honorable Lorna G. Schofield
United States District Court
Southern District of New York
500 Pearl Street
New York, NY 10007

Re: Corbett v. Hochul.; S.D.N.Y., 22-cv-5867

Dear Judge Schofield:

This Office represents Governor Kathy Hochul in the above-captioned action. On September 13, 2022, Plaintiff filed an Amended Complaint which, as the original complaint, names the Governor as a defendant, but adds two other State officials as defendants: New York Attorney General Letita James and New York State Police Superintendent Kevin Bruen ("Superintendent"). To my knowledge, the Attorney General and Superintendent have not yet been served with the Amended Complaint.

Governor Hochul's response to the Amended Complaint is due on September 27, 2022. See Fed. R. Civ. P. § 15(a)(3). The Governor writes to respectfully request that her response deadline be extended until 21 days after both the Attorney General and Superintendent have been served with the Amended Complaint. This will permit these State officials, all of whom will likely be represented by this Office, to respond together. Plaintiff takes no position on this request, and this is the first request for such relief.

We thank the Court for its consideration of this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

/S/
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cc: Plaintiff *pro se* (via ECF)